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## THE GREAT GAME OF POLITICS

By FRANK R. KENT

### Challenge To The Senate

Washington, Dec. 22.—SOME of the foulest deeds of legislative history, in which the national interests are callously betrayed and the common people dealt with on the theory that they have neither the sense nor the character to resist being treated as fools, are performed not on the House or Senate floors, but, stealthily, in committees where individuals usually escape all personal responsibility.

A BOOK on this subject would be a public service. It might arouse a popular understanding and indignation that would put an end to an indefensible practice. Perhaps someone some day will think it worth while to compile the record. However, the thing of immediate importance is to call—and keep calling—attention to the current attempt again to smother in a Senate committee a measure passed by the House—for the second time—last week. The test will come when the Senate reconvenes after the holidays.

THE bill in question is known as the Hobbs anti-racketeering bill and it would seem one which, except for the particular groups affected, should command unanimous support. It is simply designed to correct a situation created by a Supreme Court decision of 1942 exempting labor unions from Federal penalties for obstructing commerce by robbery and extortion. There is practically no defense of this decision and no reasonable argument is made as to why labor unions should be allowed to commit crimes for which other organizations and individuals are penalized.

IT IS a significant and revealing fact that the opposition to the bill is led by Representative Marcantonio of the communistic American Labor party and that the most violent journalistic denunciations come from the Daily Worker, the Communist party organ. The bill was passed by a big vote in the House. The Daily Worker now proclaims that "the Senate must kill the Hobbs bill," and Mr. Marcantonio declares, "There isn't any question but that we can stop it in the Senate."

THEY—the Daily Worker and Mr. Marcantonio—do not mean they can beat this bill on the Senate floor. They know better than that. They mean they can smother it again in the Senate Judiciary Committee this time, as they did in 1943. That is the idea and that is the strategy with this bill. It was done before with this bill and it has been done before with a good many other bills. With the Daily Worker beating the Communist drums, it is to be tried again next month. This is really a Communist fight to protect racketeering and immunize crime. The Communist organ assaults the bill as a "threat to the very principle of organized labor," as "disgraceful" and "sinister."

THE professional labor lobbyists join in the chorus, denouncing it as "vicious." But they offer no facts, make no arguments—just call names. The bill, as the World Telegram describes it, is no more vicious than the commandment "Thou shalt not steal." It is not anti-labor, it is "pro" honest labor and the character of the opposition is a cogent reason for its passage. The Communist effort to kill this bill in committee is a challenge to every senator and an insult to the American people. It will be a shocking thing if it should succeed.

### Mrs. John Lahrs Serves As Hostess To Her Club

CROYDON, Dec. 22.—Mrs. John Lahrs was hostess to members of her sewing club at a Christmas party on Tuesday evening. Decorations were in keeping with the holiday spirit, and a basket of lighted poinsettias was the centerpiece for the luncheon table. Each guest was presented with a Santa Claus boot filled with taffies. "Pollyanna gifts" were exchanged.

Cards were enjoyed by Mrs. Eleanor Kunz, Mrs. Mary Van Hulen, Mrs. Mary Schaefer, Mrs. Rose McMonagle, Mrs. Mildred Scheich and daughter Joann and Miss Esther Mutch.

### Helen Smith Marks 18th Anniversary of Birth

A surprise birthday party was given in honor of Helen Smith's 18th birthday anniversary on Tuesday evening. The affair was given by Miss Marian Luckhardt, Otter street. Games and dancing were enjoyed. Refreshments were served and Helen received many gifts.

Those present: the Misses Harriet Litten, Ramona Kline, Shirley Richmond, Dorothy Wiltshire; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Luckhardt, Mrs. Mary Carter, Herbert Yates, Bristol; Zigmund Masiewicz, Joseph Brownough, Harry Johnston, Alex Kissel, of Chester.

**TIDES AT BRISTOL**  
High water . . . 5:14 a. m., 5:40 p. m.  
Low water . . . 12:10 a. m., 1:23 p. m.

## MAY BURY PATTON NEAR SOME OF HIS TROOPS IN FRANCE

### May Inter Colorful General In Land He Helped To Free

#### MEMORIALS PLANNED

### A Rigid News Blackout Is Clamped Around Hospital Where He Died

By Joseph Willcombe, Jr.  
(A. N. S. Staff Correspondent)

HEIDELBERG, Dec. 22.—U. S. Army authorities and the grief-stricken widow of Gen. George S. Patton today were considering selection of a final resting place for the famous Field Commander whose colorful career came to an end yesterday.

Funeral plans were incomplete, but it was considered likely the General will be buried somewhere in France, Monday, near some of the men who accompanied him down part of the road to victory.

All military installations in the U. S. Third Army area were directed to hold memorial services for Patton by Lieut. Gen. Lucian K. Truscott, who succeeded him as Commander of the Third as well as Military Governor of Bavaria. Patton was Commander of the U. S. 15th Army.

A rigid news blackout was clamped around the 130th Station Hospital where Patton died of a pulmonary blood clot, caused by a gangrene spot in the lung, and heart failure—the fatal complications that set in following the neck fracture Patton received in an automobile accident.

No details concerning Patton's death other than official military statements were given out and in some ways the news has rivaled those that were thrown up at the peak of Patton's career, when his powerful tanks were plunging from the Cherbou Peninsula into Czechoslovakia.

But there were indications the former Third Army commander, whose military prowess made him the general most feared by the Nazis, will be laid to rest near one of his many battlefield triumphs.

Patton died peacefully almost a year to the day after his sensational Third Army wheeling sweep took the German pressure off the Ardennes bulge.

Col. R. Glen Spurling, War Department medical specialist, disclosed Patton first suffered a relapse two days ago when he had an acute attack of breathlessness and pallor.

Soon he was unable to cough up the mucus that began forming on his chest and the warrior's heart became weakened as a result.

Patton, who declared immediately after his automobile accident, "This is a hell of a way to die," nevertheless was "perfectly satisfied," according to Col. Spurling, at the way things went for him at the hospital before his condition took a serious turn.

Patton explained that he was happy that his wife had flown from the United States to be at his side for Christmas.

Spurling disclosed that Patton's fractured vertebra, which had caused complete paralysis from the neck down when the accident occurred, had been perfectly reduced.

Nurse Lieut. Margery Rundell, of Ackland, Wis., was in attendance when Patton died.

#### WAR MOTHERS' PARTY

Bristol Chapter, American War Mothers, will hold a meeting on Thursday at 7:30 p. m. in the Bracken Post home. Installation of officers and a Christmas party are planned with a covered dish supper and exchange of gifts.

#### The Chief Didn't Know

(By "The Stroller")  
Yes, police are asked funny questions.

Last night a little lad walked into the police headquarters and asked Chief Jones what was necessary for him to be permitted to trap.

He was informed that he must have his name and address on all his traps, and then given other details. He proudly exhibited a new trap, which he said "Morrison" gave him.

After pondering upon these questions, the youngster turned and asked the Chief: "How do you skin a muskrat?"

"Well, you'll have to ask someone else," replied the Chief. "I really don't know. Why don't you ask Morrison?" asked the Chief.

"Oh, he is only ten," was the reply. "Do you cut them down the back or the front?"

But the would-be trapper had to leave with the question unanswered.

### Delightful Yule Party Held in Travel Club Home

Miss Mary Myers, of Philadelphia, delighted members of the Travel Club and their guests last evening on the occasion of a Christmas party, which took place in the club home. Miss Myers, an elocutionist of note, had appeared before the local woman's club on a previous occasion, and was exceptionally well received here last evening.

Among her offerings were: "The White Cliffs"; "The Harp Weaver" (Milly); and a humorous reading in which a member of the fair sex was arranging with an architect for the planning of a "gem of a house."

Music was included in the program, with Miss Winifred V. Tracy accompanying at the piano for group singing of carols. Miss Tracy also delighted during intermission with a medley of Christmas airs on the symphony harp.

The group was formally welcomed by the club president, Mrs. Harry T. Neher, with Mrs. Neher and Mrs. Russell W. DeLong serving as hostesses for the evening. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Harry Pope, chairman, and members of the social committee. Members and guests participated in an exchange of Yuletide gifts.

The very attractive decorations of the club home had been arranged by Mrs. George E. Boswell.

### SANTA PAYS VISIT TO 600 KIDDIES HERE

### Daughters, Sons of Rohm & Haas Employees Receive Toys and Candy

#### FINE ENTERTAINMENT

Jolly Old St. Nicholas arrived in Bristol this morning with a gigantic sack—filled with toys for nearly 600 children. The presents were for the daughters and sons of employees of Rohm & Haas Chemical Co., and the gala Yuletide party was held in the Rohm & Haas club house with the Rohm & Haas Social Club and the firm serving as joint hosts.

Santa had a toy for each child, and likewise some candy.

The youngsters then proceeded to enjoy a program by professional talent which was arranged especially for the occasion. A magician made their eyes open wider as they tried to fathom his tricks; a ventriloquist kept them amused; a clown sent them into gales of laughter, and then came the cowboys with their fine fun and songs.

There was lots of music, with everybody joining in the carols; and the Rohm & Haas band playing numbers. Boris Kastorsky, an employee, was a soloist.

J. M. Cameron served as chairman of the committee in charge, he being aided by the following: Howard Smoyer, Mark Swetland, Charles Thompson, Charles Ratke, William Moran, Walter Speck, William McNabb, Clarence Wilson, P. Straffe, Wayne Fahringer, Anthony Castor, Henry Adams, Clarence Bigger, Harold Tither, Harry Gough, Lamont Marsh, S. J. MacDonald.

### Physician Completes 3 Years of Army Service

MORRISVILLE, Dec. 22.—After more than three years service in the First Division Cavalry, Dr. Bernard A. Balsis was honorably discharged.

Dr. Balsis entered the service in August, 1942. He first was sent to Westover Field, Mass., then to El Paso, Texas. Commissioned a first lieutenant, he was made a captain just previous to leaving San Francisco, Cal., for overseas duty in June of 1943. He has seen service as a medical officer in Australia, New Guinea, the Admiralty Islands, the Philippines and Japan. During the Luzon campaign, he was in charge of the mobile hospital division. He was the first cavalry medical officer on Leyte.

Dr. Balsis wears the Bronze Star for heroic achievement in the Admiralties, the Purple Heart, the Philippines Liberation ribbon, with two battle stars; the Asiatic-Pacific ribbon, with four stars and an arrowhead, for the beachhead invasion of the Admiralties, and the medical combat badge.

### As Late General Took Over Command in World War II



RARIN' to go and with plenty of newly-acquired know-how in tank warfare, Patton was called to Washington in July, 1942, and ordered to prepare for the North African invasion. In command of the Western Task force of 32,000 men—landing in October and mopping up in Casablanca by November. On American soil during the Louisiana training maneuvers and again on the Indio, California, desert he had put his men through just such problems as were likely to be met on the African desert.

## TRUMAN AND FEDERAL JOBS

Every once in a while someone works hard to get something he doesn't want.

This is the case with President Truman and what's left of his Reorganization Bill.

It is the hottest potato yet dumped in his lap by a Congress resentful of his broken promise to co-operate with the legislative branch of government.

The President didn't want the authority, didn't need the bill passed; under the war powers acts, still in effect, the presidential authority which created the maze of "war agencies" and hired millions of willing Democrats to staff them could have been used, without further legislation, to weed out those no longer needed now that the war is over.

The bill itself, though passed at the President's request, does not add to his prestige, since it was so changed as to be almost unrecognizable.

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### HERE AND THERE IN BUCKS COUNTY TOWNS

Activities of Interest In All in the Various Communities

#### CLEANED BY SCRIBES

Taking into consideration the employment of veterans at the meeting of Albert R. Atkinson, Jr., at No. 219, American Legion, at its headquarters, in Doylestown this week, suggestion was made by several of the members that representatives of the United States Employment Service visit firms in need of employees for the purpose of explaining to them the on-the-job training employment system of veterans.

By this method, it was explained by the post service officer, Richard

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### TEMPERATURE LAST MONTH WAS AVERAGE

Similar to That of Nov., 1944, But Rainfall Was Somewhat Less

#### MORE CLEAR DAYS

Although the temperatures of November 1945 and November 1944 were similar, the rainfall last month was more than an inch less than in the corresponding month of a year ago.

Figures gleaned from Rohm & Haas Co. physics laboratory meteorological summary show that the rainfall last month was 4.29 inches as compared to 5.51 in November, 1944. The temperature range last month was from 46 to 74, while in the same month of 1944 it was from 44 to 72.

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## LATEST NEWS BULLETINS

### To Hold Services for Patton at Heidelberg, Luxembourg

Heidelberg—Funeral services for Gen. George S. Patton, Jr., will be held in Luxembourg on Monday, following initial services tomorrow in Heidelberg.

An honor guard—an infantry company from Patton's beloved Third Army—will accompany the body of the famous commander from Heidelberg to Luxembourg aboard a special train.

The exact site of burial has not been announced, although Mrs. Patton announced yesterday it would be in northwest Europe.

It was believed that the great soldier would be laid to rest at one of the scenes of his great triumphs, possibly at Metz or St. Lo.

### Big Three Conference Moves Into Kremlin

Moscow—The Big Three Conference of foreign ministers moved into the Kremlin from the Cipridonovka Palace today, meeting in an atmosphere that diplomatic observers called "improved."

There were indications of a reasonable chance of success. With Generalissimo Premier Joseph Stalin back in Moscow, the discussions have assumed a "statesmanlike" attitude, one informant said, and the talks have been streamlined to permit freer deliberations.

One source close to the Conference table said: "Don't build up the public's hopes too much, but it looks as though we are not far apart."

The same informant predicted that the United States Secretary of State James F. Byrnes will return to Washington before attending the General Assembly of the United Nations organization on January 10. This fact indicated that the Moscow meeting may terminate within the next two weeks.

### Turkish Attitude Stiffens Toward Russia

London—Ankara dispatches disclosed a stiffening Turkish attitude today toward Russian territorial demands and diplomatic overtures in London expressed the belief Russo-Turkish issues are being examined by the Big Three foreign ministers in Moscow.

### Long Distance Calls Nearly One-Third More

With day-to-day long distance telephone traffic now nearly one-third heavier than last year, the Bell Telephone Company of Pennsylvania is preparing to handle an all-time record number of such calls during the coming holiday season, it was announced today.

Company officials said that delays on some calls to the Middle West, Pacific Coast and South are unavoidable now and that even longer delays may be expected during the holiday rush periods. Service to nearby points, however, is expected to be prompt.

Many war veterans, back in the country for their first American Christmas in four years, will still be away from their own homes during the holidays. In order that their calls from camps and hospitals to families and friends at home may be handled as promptly as possible, the company emphasizes the necessity of keeping calls brief so that as many as possible can be handled.

Greatest demands for long distance service are looked for on Christmas Eve, Christmas and New Year's Eve.

All part-time and reserve operators will be available for duty to help in handling the heavy volume of out-of-town calls anticipated and to provide relief for regular operators.

### BRISTOL MAN IS WED IN WASHINGTON, D. C.

### Joseph Di Renzo Takes Member of the WAVES As His Bride Today

#### TRIP TO TENNESSEE

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 22.—In St. Patrick's Church, here, at 10 o'clock this morning, Lorraine Killingsworth, S. 1/c, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dee Killingsworth, of Michie, Tenn., was wed to Mr. Joseph J. DiRenzo, son of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony DiRenzo, 323 Lincoln avenue, Bristol, Pa. The Rev. Thomas E. Dade officiated at the double ring ceremony.

Attendants of the couple were Miss Florence Stevens, of this city, who served as bridesmaid; and Mr. William T. Dallmeyer, Lincoln avenue, Bristol, best man.

The bride is a member of the WAVES, and is stationed at Arlington Farms, Va. The groom was recently granted a discharge at Andrews Field, here, following 56 months service in the army.

The WAVE was attired in an old-fashioned gown of white satin, it having a scalloped neckline, with tulle insertion on the form-fitting bodice. The bottom of the full skirt was shirred. Clusters of orange blossoms and of marigold ruffles arranged in 10 tiers, were used as trim. The gown had a long train with wide satin ruffle. The long sleeves tapered over the hands. She wore a Floradora headpiece of white plumes and pearls, her long veil being of tulle and wide lace. She wore white satin slippers.

Her bouquet was colonial type, composed of orange blossoms and white roses.

Miss Stevens was attired in a handsome gown of ice-blue satin, it having square-cut neckline, three-quarter length sleeves of tulle studded with "star dust," and the skirt being cut full. She wore a floral headpiece, and silver-toned slippers. Her colonial bouquet was made up of white roses.

The groom wore his army uniform, as did also the best man, the latter likewise having been in the service.

The wedding dinner was served at the Statler Hotel, here. The couple will leave for Tennessee for a visit, they expecting to make their home in Bristol next month. Travelling costume of the bride consisted of a green suit, brown cable-knit sweater, green accessories; and an orchid corsage.

### Stitch and Chatter Club Has Xmas Dinner Party

CROYDON, Dec. 22.—The Stitch and Chatter Club held their Christmas party on Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Rebecca Keeny. Red and green decorations were used and a small tree and lighted candles served as the table centerpiece. Favors were novelty hats. "Pollyanna" gifts were exchanged and names drawn for the next year.

After games a Dutch luncheon was served to: Mrs. Mabel Naylor, Mrs. Mildred Beck, Mrs. Mildred Scheich, Mrs. Josephine Aufschlag, Mrs. Gertrude Keeny, Mrs. Adeline Schank, Mrs. Ann Cassidy, Mrs. Eleanor Bailey, Mrs. Margaret Dear, Mrs. Viola Horner, Mrs. Bernice Findlay, Mrs. Edith Findlay, Miss "Betty" Crossley, Mrs. May Thrasher and daughters May and Dorothy.

Just Arrived—Pre-War Electric Lionel Trains and Transformers—a limited quantity—come early. Diamond Sporting Goods Store.—(Advertisement.)

### Morrisville Rotarians Entertain at Trenton

MORRISVILLE, Dec. 22.—With Victor Hausman as chairman of the committee on arrangements, Morrisville Rotary Club members entertained at "White Gate" in Trenton, N. J., on Thursday evening.

Guests at the party included Stanley Roberts, Jr., Marvin Allison, recently honorably discharged from the navy, and a Morrisville police officer; Fred Greenlee, and Arthur Greenlee of the navy.

The fourth grade chorus was heard in several selections. This group was directed by Marie McCamney and sang Christmas carols. In the chorus were Mary Ann Neuman, Barbara Titus, Joan Dreisbach, Robert White, William Dorfner, Ronald Love, Harvey Factor and Charles Lebegera.

### EXCHANGEITES NAME OFFICERS FOR CLUB

### Members Are Then Entertained By Bristol High School Choir

#### HAVE REFRESHMENTS

Bristol Exchange Club members met Thursday evening in the Elks Home, President Charles F. Boyd presided.

In a short business session, election of officers took place. The following were named to office for the year 1946: President, David M. Sheerer; vice-president, Sheridan B. Metz; treasurer, Edward Fleming; and secretary, David L. Hertzler. Arnold Barea, Charles F. Boyd and Edward Stetson were elected to the board of control for two-year terms.

Guests present were Donald Moyer, Carl Poell and Elbert Carter.

The program of the evening was presented by 30 members of Bristol high school choir, under the direction of Mrs. David Kosinski. The Misses Jane Argus and Rita Clissi served as accompanists.

The Exchange Club and the choir enjoyed light refreshments at the conclusion of the program. President Boyd presented Mrs. Kosinski with a box of candy on behalf of the club, and the choir presented Mrs. Kosinski with a red leather handbag.

The program presented by the choir, with the Exchange Club joining in the carols, "Joy to the World" and "O Come All Ye Faithful," was a repetition of the one given at the vesper service in Bristol high school auditorium last Sunday.

#### FOUR LEAVE NAVY

BAINBRIDGE, Md., Dec. 21.—Harvey Johnson Gibbs, GM 2/c, Horace N. Davis, RM 3/c, Joseph Accardi, S. 1/c, and James L. Nysse, MM 3/c, of Bristol, Pa., have been honorably discharged from naval service at the separation center here.

#### ONE MAN'S OPINION . . .

By Walter Kierman  
(Distributed by International News Service)

Under Mr. Truman's plan for merging the armed forces there would be one Secretary of National Defense, one Chief of Staff and one alibi in the event of another Pearl Harbor.

The President proposes that the Army and Navy contact each other not only at the annual football game but on other days of the year.

But that's what I don't understand about this thing. How can West Point play Annapolis if they're both on the same team?

I don't know who will be nominated for Secretary of National Defense but it won't be Sen. Vandenberg or Mrs. Roosevelt. They will be busy putting the United Nations house in order.

Bob Hannegan hopes that Sen. Vandenberg will become so attached to his work that he wouldn't think of making a change until well beyond the summer of 1948.

Mrs. Roosevelt served the government once before. She and Fiorello LaGuardia split . . . and I am being very careful of my language . . . split the administration of the Office of Civilian Defense.

LaGuardia would make a good man for the Cabinet except that he has taken on a magazine and a milk route. But he's a fellow to keep your eye on . . . if you happen to look down . . .

## FIRMS FILL SOCKS IN THIS AREA WITH CASH AND TURKEYS

### Some Workers Are Given War Bonds as Xmas Presents

#### MANY FINE BONUSES

### One Plant Gives As Much As \$100 Each; Another, Two Weeks' Pay

Bonus and gift time has arrived for several thousand workers in this area. Commencing a few days ago and continuing until the holiday, each day will see many employees hurrying to their homes with happy smiles—bearing turkeys, Victory bonds or gifts of money.

The Christmas stockings of Rohm & Haas Chemical Co. employees were well filled this year, the usual plan for the firm's bonus being followed. Every employee who has been with the firm for a year received \$5; two years, \$10; three years, \$15; four years, \$20; five years, \$25; 10 to 15 years, \$50; 15 to 20 years, \$75; over 20 years, \$100. To those who have been employed less than a year the sum of \$2.50 in war stamps is in order.

Cash bonuses, depending on the length of service, were presented to all salaried employees of Fleetwings Division of Kaiser Cargo, Inc. Every employee received a turkey for their Christmas dinner. The Fleetwings plant will be closed on Monday, giving the workers a long holiday period.

Hunter Manufacturing Corp. provided a day's pay for everyone in its employ. At the Bristol plant a party was held yesterday afternoon; while one evening recently the employees in the general office enjoyed a party at Torrens Country Club through courtesy of the firm.

A gift of \$10 was presented yesterday by Bancroft-Hickey Co. to each employee in the plant.

Another firm presenting employee gifts is the Pacific Steel Boiler Corp. There each employee was given the equivalent of two days pay yesterday. Last evening office employees participated in a dinner party at the plant.

The Bristol Trust Co. is paying employees of that banking institution the usual Christmas bonus.

A full week's pay for each employee is the gift which Manhattan Soap Co. is providing. Three hundred and fifty individuals are thus being made happy. A Christmas season party took place yesterday at the plant, with dinner being served, then the money gifts were distributed.

D. Landreth Seed Co. arranged for a turkey to be given each of the firm's workers, distribution being made today. The plant closed at noon today with work being resumed on Wednesday morning.

Graduated according to length of service the workers at William H. Grundy Co. will receive bonuses yesterday. They ranged from \$5 to \$40.

The Hunter-Wilson Distilling Co. presented each employee who has been on its list for a year or more the equivalent of \$25. Those who have been employed nine months received \$20; six months, \$15; three months, \$10; and less than three months, \$5. Where the sum was sufficient a portion of the gift was in the form of a Victory bond.

Two weeks pay and a \$5 donation toward their Christmas dinners was presented yesterday afternoon to every employee of Paterson Parchment Paper Co. The plant has closed until Wednesday morning, providing a four-day holiday for employees.

Additional compensation totaling \$56,800 has been distributed to A & P Food Stores employees in the Greater Philadelphia-Southern New Jersey-Delaware area for Christmas. L. A. Mullen, vice-president in charge of this area, said today. All A & P employees throughout the country with six months or more service have participated in the cash distribution totaling \$1,500,000 nationally. This was an increase of \$250,000 over last year.

### 3 Retiring Councilmen Feted at Morrisville

MORRISVILLE, Dec. 22.—Three retiring members of Morrisville borough council were honored at the Lincoln Restaurant last evening.

Those feted: Charles C. Young, Sr., John G. Bleasdale, and Raymond Driesbach.

Others present were the other members of council; and borough treasurer Watson Simons, solicitor Willard S. Curtin, secretary William H. Howell, Mayor William Burgess, Justice of the peace and tax collector Neal Nolan, and chief of police Harry Christ.



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## GERMANY'S DEADLY GAS

When the Allies issued their stern warnings to the Axis powers against the use of gas and promised reprisals which would make them regret it, they acted wisely. It now is disclosed that Germany had developed the world's deadliest gas which "could have penetrated any gas mask in existence." This was revealed in the testimony offered a Senate military subcommittee by Col. Bernard Bernstein, director of the division of carrels and external assets of the United States Military Government in Germany.

Shortly before, Hermann Goering told his prison psychologist, Lieut. G. M. Gilbert, that Germany was afraid to use gas in the recent war. Obviously, the only reason that Germany feared to use this weapon was the threat of reprisals made by Allied leaders.

The Germans, despite their tendency to exaggerate their own strength early in the war, still had sufficient recollection of World War I to know that the Allies, when they eventually gathered strength, could make that power overwhelming. And the Germans obviously did not wish to be gassed out of existence.

Nothing need be added to the proof already offered of the toward their own people, but it cruelty of the Nazis, cruelty even anyone wishes additional proof he can find it in the testimony of Colonel Bernstein regarding the deadly gas invented by the Germans. He stated that the gas, which was first tried out in experiments on monkeys, later was used "to exterminate whole groups in concentration camps."

## CALENDARS FOR 1946

That calendar reform can be undertaken without regard to standardization of the length of the months or regulation of the number of months in the year is proved by the remark of an executive of one of the country's largest calendar manufacturers. Announcing that calendar designs for 1946 will emphasize the pictures of little children, animals and landscapes, he said the trend is to get away from designs suggesting the war and return to peacetime pictures.

Little children, animals and landscapes possess values of permanence in the human heart. Now that it is over, it may be doubted whether patriotism is inspired by calendar art anyway, since most people, after glancing at the pictures once or twice, thereafter take them for granted, and look to the calendar only when they find that they do not know what day it is.

It is to be hoped that calendar makers will stick to the presentation of pictures of little children, animals and landscapes for years and years, because postwar problems will not lend themselves to patriotic art. People today are interested in the dawn of lasting peace.

Scarcity of shirts is proving a blessing to members of the family who always have had trouble remembering father's size.

## CHRISTMAS PROGRAMS TO BE FEATURED IN THE CHURCHES ON SUNDAY; SPECIAL SERMONS AND MUSICAL PROGRAMS

### "THE CHRIST CHILD," A CANTATA, IS TO BE PRESENTED HERE

First Baptist Church, Cedar and Walnut streets; Bible School, providing free bus transportation, 9:45 a. m.; morning worship, 11. The senior choir under direction of Mrs. L. L. Clark, organist, will present a Christmas cantata, "The Christ Child" (Hawley). The chorus of 22 voices will sing the choruses "Arise, Shine," "How Beautiful Upon the Mountains," "Sing, O Heavens," "Holy Night! Peaceful Night!" with quartets, trio and solo parts sung by Mrs. Leonard Dyer, Mrs. Roland Zepp, Mrs. Charles Thompson, Jr., Mrs. Warren Talbot, Mrs. Edgar Klalber, Miss Vera Donnell, John Conyers and the Rev. I. L. Clark.

The Baptist Young People's groups meet at 6:45 p. m., with respective topics at seven; evening gospel service, 7:45, senior and junior choirs will sing Christmas anthems, and the pastor will speak on the theme, "What Are You Looking For?" ordinance of baptism at the close of the service.

Monday, B. Y. P. U. members will meet at the church at 10:30 p. m. to go caroling; Wednesday, prayer and praise service, 7:30 p. m.; Thursday, Happy Bible Hour, seven p. m., and radio broadcast at 7:30 p. m., Warren Talbot will show a religious sound-on-film picture.

### Presbyterian Church of Our Saviour

The Rev. D. Scaler, interim pastor; Sunday, at 10 o'clock, divine worship; 11 a. m., Sunday School; eight, evening service.

Tuesday, at 10 o'clock, Christmas worship, the senior choir will sing "The Birthday of a King," Holy Communion.

### SPECIAL PROGRAMS ARE ARRANGED BY THE PRESBYTERIANS

Bristol Presbyterian Church, the Rev. Edward Gearhart, Yeomans minister; 9:45 a. m., Church School, Fred Herman, superintendent; 11, morning worship service, "Oh Come All Ye Faithful" choir; organ prelude, "Joy to the World" (Handel); processional hymn, "Angels From the Realm of Glory"; offertory selection, "It Came Upon the Midnight Clear" (Schmütz); anthem, "The Christmas Story" (Goldsworthy), senior and junior choirs with Mrs. Charles I. Bowen, soloist, and a semi-choir with Miss Jean Stetson, Miss Virginia Wyatt, Mrs. Martin VanBeveran, message by the pastor, "Joy to the World."

Young People's Fellowship meeting, seven p. m., with Thomas Fisher leading. There will be no evening worship service.

Christmas Eve, 11 o'clock, candlelight service with carols by the choir; processional, "Oh Come All Ye Faithful"; anthem, "Holy Night! Peaceful Night!" (Hawley); junior choir and soloists Marion Harmsen, Gloria Kropp and Barbara Neher; anthem, "The Christmas Song" (Adam), senior choir with Mrs. Bowen, soloist; message by the pastor "The Blessedness of Christmas."

There will be no mid-week service on Wednesday evening.

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### Bristol Friends Meeting

Wood and Market streets; 10:15 a. m., First Day School; 11 a. m., meeting for worship.

### CANTATA, "THE MUSIC OF BETHLEHEM," WILL BE GIVEN ON SUNDAY

Bristol Methodist Church, Mulberry and Cedar streets; 9:45 a. m., session of Church School; 11 a. m., divine worship, the church choir will sing a Christmas cantata, "The Music of Bethlehem" (Holton) as follows:

Ring On, O Song, choir; A King Shall Reign (bass solo), Harold Hunter; The Song of Hope, choir; The First Christmas Carol (soprano and alto duet), Mrs. Arthur Peterson and Mrs. Charles Doan; To Bethlehem Draw Near, women's chorus, men's chorus, and choir; Let Heaven and Nature Sing, choir.

The Lullaby Hymn, quartet (Mrs. Lee VanGilder, Mrs. Warren Jennings, William H. Thompson, Harold Hunter); The Music of the Bells, choir with soprano obligato by Mrs. Howard Smoyer; The March of the Magi, men's chorus and choir; Hallelujah, choir; The Music of Bethlehem, choir.

Instrumental selections will include: Prelude, "O'er Hills and Vales of Bethlehem" (Holton); offertory, "Cantique de Noel" (Adam); postlude, "Glory To God in the Highest" (Rogers).

At 7:45 p. m., annual Sunday School Christmas program will be held, the beginners, primary and junior departments will participate.

On Christmas Eve, a candlelight and carol service will be held at 11 o'clock.

### Church of the Nazarene

219 Wood street, the Rev. John Wesley Maybury, minister, Lord's Day services; Sunday School, 10 a. m.; morning worship, 11, with message by the pastor, "Heart Parity, the Central Theme of the First Advent," eight p. m., Sunday School Christmas program, recitations and carols by the members of the young people's group and Bible school.

Thursday, prayer and Bible study at 7:45 p. m.

### S. S. SCHOLARS WILL GIVE PROGRAM SUNDAY IN LUTHERAN CHURCH

Zion Lutheran Church, Jefferson avenue and Wood street, the Rev. P. R. Rouse, pastor; Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.; morning worship, 11, "Holy Communion," sermon "What Christmas Means For Us All"; 7:30 p. m., Christmas program by members of the primary and main Sunday School.

### Calvary Baptist Church

Wood and Walnut streets, Lehman Strauss, pastor; Sunday; 9:45 a. m., Bible School, free bus transportation; 11, morning worship, singing by the choir, "O, Holy Night" and "Behold, I Bring You Good Tidings," the pastor will give a Christmas meditation; 6:30 p. m., prayer group; seven p. m., young people's meetings; 7:45 p. m., Gospel service, singing of carols by the congregation accompanied by

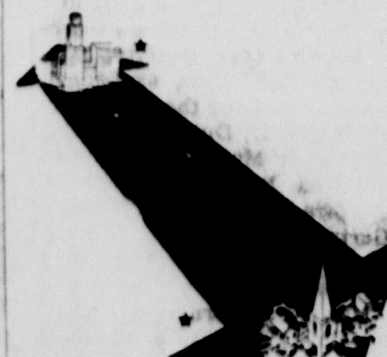
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Gene Mather, S. 2/c, San Diego, Cal., was a Monday visitor of friends here.

Mrs. Helen Nichols and Miss Doris Nelson were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Hills, Bordentown, N. J.

Shirley Carr, S. 1/c, has received his honorable discharge from the Navy and has returned to his home here.

Pte. William Hubbs is spending a 90-day furlough at his home here. Edward Kohler, AMM, 2/c, and wife, of Norfolk, Va., are spending the holidays at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Norris Stake.

Sgt. Joseph Mazzocchi, Camp Totten, N. Y., spent the week-end at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Mazzocchi.

Mrs. Rufus King is confined to her home with illness. Miss Frances Pezza, Trenton, N. J., was a Tuesday visitor at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Pezza.

Word has been received here of the death of Mrs. Carrie McKage (nee Woodside), Philadelphia. Mrs. McKage was a former resident of town.

Lt. and Mrs. Benjamin King and son Michael are spending several days at the home of relatives in Philadelphia.

Miss Virginia Walters is among those on the sick list. Tullytown public schools closed on Thursday for the Christmas vacation.

Joseph Morgan, MM, 2/c, Philadelphia Navy Yard, was a recent visitor of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Morgan, Sr.

## HULMEVILLE

Miss Phyllis Bartoe, a student at Ohio State College, Columbus, O., is passing the Christmas and New Year's holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Bartoe.

Twelve members of the Youth Fellowship of Neshaminy Methodist Church attended the Christmas party and business meeting held at the Winder home on Ford avenue, Thursday evening. Miss Joanne Bartoe presided at the session. Final preparations were made for presentation of the playlet, "The Cobbler Shop," at the vesper service in the church tomorrow at four o'clock. Games, exchange of gifts and refreshments followed.

## FALLSINGTON

The Misses Moon will be dinner guests on Christmas at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas G. Hawkes, Edgely.

Miss Mae W. Kelly will have as dinner guests on Christmas, Mr. and Mrs. LaGrand LaRue, Miss Evelyn LaRue, Mr. and Mrs. William Kelly, Miss Edith Watson and Warren Kelly.

Mrs. Leslie Stradling and Miss

Harriet Lodge were week-end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Bennett Strait, Delaware Water Gap.

Miss Address Kirby, who has been spending some time at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harris Brown, Trenton, N. J., has returned to her home in Fallsington.

Carl Sandhoff, Trenton, N. J., was a recent visitor of his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Clemens.

## YARDLEY

Mr. and Mrs. Louis C. Leedom are both ill at their home.

Malcolm Carver has been ill at his home with the gripe.

Watson Cadwallader is ill at his home.

Members of the P. O. of A. held a Christmas party at their meeting on Monday evening in the P. O. S. of A. Hall.

Miss A. Marie Kelly is ill at her home on Pennsylvania avenue.

## MAY SECURE PICTURES

Members of the senior class of Bristol high school are informed that Charles Boyd, of the high school faculty, will be in the principal's office on Monday to distribute senior pictures. The hours during which these may be secured are from 10 a. m. to 12 noon. On January 3rd all members of the dance committee are asked to be present at 10 a. m. to complete preparations for the senior dance to be given on that evening.

## TAKEN TO NAVAL HOSPITAL

William Salerno, Lafayette street, is a patient in Naval Hospital, Phila., he being taken there yesterday by Bucks Co. Rescue Squad.

## DOWNING HAS PNEUMONIA

Robert Downing, Winder Village, is suffering with pneumonia. He was taken to Naval Hospital, Philadelphia, yesterday in Bucks Co. Rescue Squad ambulance.

JOHNSTOWN — Ralph S. Robb, manager of the Local Credit Exchange, said a discharged Johnstown serviceman had wired from Riverside, Calif., that he would be in town within 30 days and would take care of an unpaid account. "A fellow like that deserves a lot of credit," Robb observed.

BROWNSVILLE — The age of speedy merchandising was pointed up recently in a local department store when 150 pairs of nylon hose were put on sale without advance notice. The lot was disposed of in 15 minutes or at the rate of 10 pairs a minute.

PITTSBURGH — Twelve "old hands" in the Pi Kappa Alpha fraternity will long remember the four pledges—all army veterans—who turned on them during the hazing period. When the 12 members took the pledges for a ride, with the idea of making them walk home, the vets commanded the car and made their tormentors trudge back.

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## CHRISTMAS PARTY

By TRACY ADRIAN

Happy the people who can spend a merry Christmas Day with family and friends this year! The cheeriest festival we keep, and with peace at last, this year's St. Nick should be the jolliest of his kind ever to assure a chimney.

There is considerable wear and tear and overtime to a bang-up home holiday... one wants to look her best, but can by no means pose on a tin pillow while doing so. There is little time or reason to change one's frock as the day goes on, too; the best choice is a frock which can slipped into at noon, say, and still be alluring at midnight.

These New York dresses pictured here are excellent choices, real "party" dresses which compliment the day and all concerned. They have hundred uses beyond this day, too... for afternoon parties, little ensembles, wedding-guesting, and so on. And incidentally, each of them easily ensembled with a pretty hat.



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Camden Town, Limehouse, Shepherd's Bush and the curious entity called the City are all parts of the great community of London and each has its peculiar character and the intense loyalty of its residents. It is not in spite of this trait but because of it that England is today a great world-power with interests stretching around the whole inhabited globe. The intense love of country which grows from this attachment to one's neighborhood has built up the concentrated power which created the British Empire.

Here in Pennsylvania with our nearly 2,000 communities perhaps our greatest need in facing the problems which will lie before us

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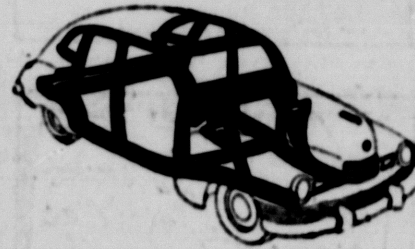
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## TRUMAN AND FEDERAL JOBS

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The big effect of its passage is to put responsibility for the size of the Federal payroll right where the President asked to have it—squarely on his desk.

Possibly the President had a cute little political trick up his sleeve when he asked Congress to vote him the "reorganization" authority. This is the same power which Congress indignantly refused to give President Roosevelt in 1938.

It is quite plausible that Truman expected likewise to be refused, and then to go before the public pleading that he wanted to slash out top-heavy public payroll but Congress wouldn't let him.

If that was his idea, the scheme backfired.

He has little more power than he had before; the difference is that every taxpayer in the land knows it is up to the President to do the job of demobilizing what Senator Byrd called "the vast civilian army" of Federal jobholders.

This places the President in a neat dilemma.

If he doesn't bring the payroll down to reason, the one issue alone would be enough to defeat him with the American people.

If he does, he will break the back of the Democratic Party and the heart of Democratic National Chairman Hannegan.

The national payroll is no joke. The best surveys, which are those of an outstanding Democrat, Senator Byrd of Virginia, show four important facts.

A. A payroll of 1,000,000 is ample for U. S. needs in peace.

B. The payroll now is about 3,600,000.

C. It has increased since the end of the war by control, investigating income tax returns and the like.

D. The waste of money in unneeded Federal salaries totals nearly \$5,000,000,000 a year.

The element of cost is the most important single fact, although there is a spectacular audacity about the Truman concept that it would be possible for a nearly-bankrupt nation to hire enough Democratic votes to keep his party in power.

The sum of \$5,000,000,000 easily can spell the difference between a balanced national budget, and one which continues us on our deficit-road to ruin.

The sum is not marbles in anybody's league. The British loan is scheduled to be \$4,400,000,000, with repayment spread over more than fifty years.

The Truman administration is wasting money on unnecessary Federal jobs at a rate which costs us considerably more each year than the entire British loan.

We could write the whole loan off and have money to spare by so simple a process as squeezing the water out of Uncle Sam's payroll for twelve months.

This is an issue which is not going to be forgotten.

The nation as a whole will not be content to have its economy thrown out of joint just to keep Democratic doorbell-pushers living in clover.

It is too painfully obvious to too many persons that cutting the jobs back to normal would permit such helpful measures as a further \$5,000,000,000 cut in taxes.

Several ingenious schemes have been brought forth to try to find feather-bed berths for these bureaucrats in peace. Nationalizing health had that feature; so does the present proposed nationalization of housing.

The increase of nearly 500,000 since Japan's surrender is due to such tricky excuses as rent control, price

The drive of Chester Bowles to spread price control over a wider range of commodities, and the idea of extending it to the housing program, of course are motivated in part with the bureaucratic desire to keep itself employed.

Meanwhile, the Reorganization Bill has the excellent result of turning the spotlight squarely where it belongs—on the President.

Let's see what he is going to do about it.

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NEW BRUNSWICK, N. J., Dec. 22.—Miss Marcia Swetland, of Bristol, Pa., a junior at New Jersey College for Women, was an usher for the traditional Yule Log ceremony in Voorhees Chapel yesterday at five p. m., and played the cornet in an 11-member brass ensemble for outdoor caroling. The group singing under the traditional pine tree on College Hall Campus followed the twilight chapel service.

Dinner and formal class dances climaxed the round of Christmas festivities on this eve of the holiday recess, which starts today. Classes at N. J. C. will be resumed, January 3rd.

Miss Swetland is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mark W. Swetland, of Schumacher Drive, Bristol.

## In a Personal Way

INTERESTING items of news mainly about people you know. A chronicle of the activities of the people of Bristol; their goings and comings. - - -

To arrange for publication of weddings, telephone The Bristol Courier, Bristol 446, notifying at least a few days in advance the date of ceremony. Engagement announcements must be submitted in writing.

"Peggy" Mount, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Mount, Garfield street, is now able to be about the house after being ill two weeks.

Russell T. Harris, Y. 1/c, son of Mrs. Russell Harris, Cleveland St., is now stationed at Manila, P. I. He was formerly stationed at Tulsa, P. I.

Miss Arlene Spencer, a student at Pennsylvania State College, is spending the holidays at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Spencer, West Circle.

Louis Tomlinson, P. 2/c, who is stationed at Norfolk, Va., has been promoted from P. 3/c. He is spending the holidays at home.

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ing three weeks with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Tomlinson, Market street.

Mrs. James Summers and son, who were patients in Harriman Hospital, returned to their home on Washington street on Wednesday.

Cpl. Domenick Bontre received his honorable discharge in Kentucky, and returned to his home on Penn street this week. He spent over two years in the service, and about one year in Europe.

Mrs. John Perry, Buckley street, entertained friends at her home on Thursday evening. Christmas gifts were exchanged and refreshments served to: Mrs. Maurice Mulligan, Mrs. William Rasmussen, Mrs. William Dougherty, Mrs. Walter T. Kelly, Mrs. Anthony Lasarovich, Bristol; Mrs. Harold Bahrenburg, Edgely; Mrs. Victor Roberts, Mrs. Edward Judd, Morrisville.

Mrs. Douglas O. Johnson, Garfield street, has been confined to his home with gripe.

Mrs. Russell Allen, New Buckley street, has been on the sick list for the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Brady, Pond street, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Brady, Burholme.

Miss Mary Reisinger, Beaver street, has left for her home in

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York, where she is spending the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. George Landers, Fairview Lane, left Friday for Richmond, Va., where they are spending the holidays with relatives.

Mrs. Katharine McLaughlin, Philadelphia, spent the week-end with Mrs. Alice McLaughlin, Fourth avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hirsch, Spring street, entertained over the week-end, Mr. and Mrs. Crawford Wilson Trenton, N. J.

Miss Shirley Peet, a student at Pennsylvania State College, is spending the Christmas holidays with her mother, Mrs. Charles Peet, West Circle.

Carl Henderson, Green Lane, has returned from a business trip to Havana, Cuba, and Miami, Fla.

John Warren, Y. 1/c, who has

been in the Pacific area for a year, is spending 30 days at his home on Wilson avenue.

## IN EUROPE 21 MONTHS

CROYDON, Dec. 22.—Sgt. James L. Dransfield, who was honorably discharged at Indiantown Gap, served with the First Army, First Division. He was a member of the 16th Infantry. He trained at Camp Wheeler, Ga., and Fort Meade, Md.; He served in the European theatre for 21 months. Sgt. Dransfield holds



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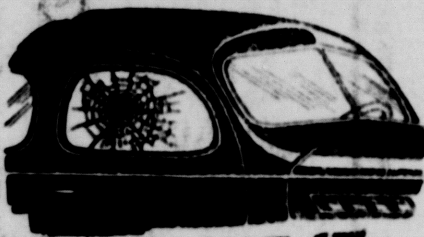
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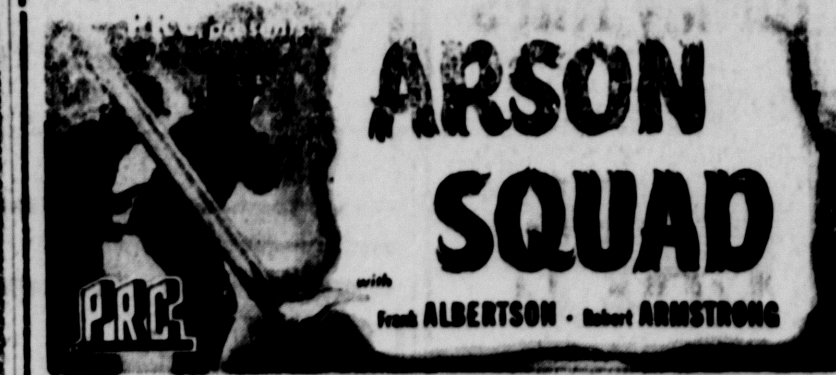
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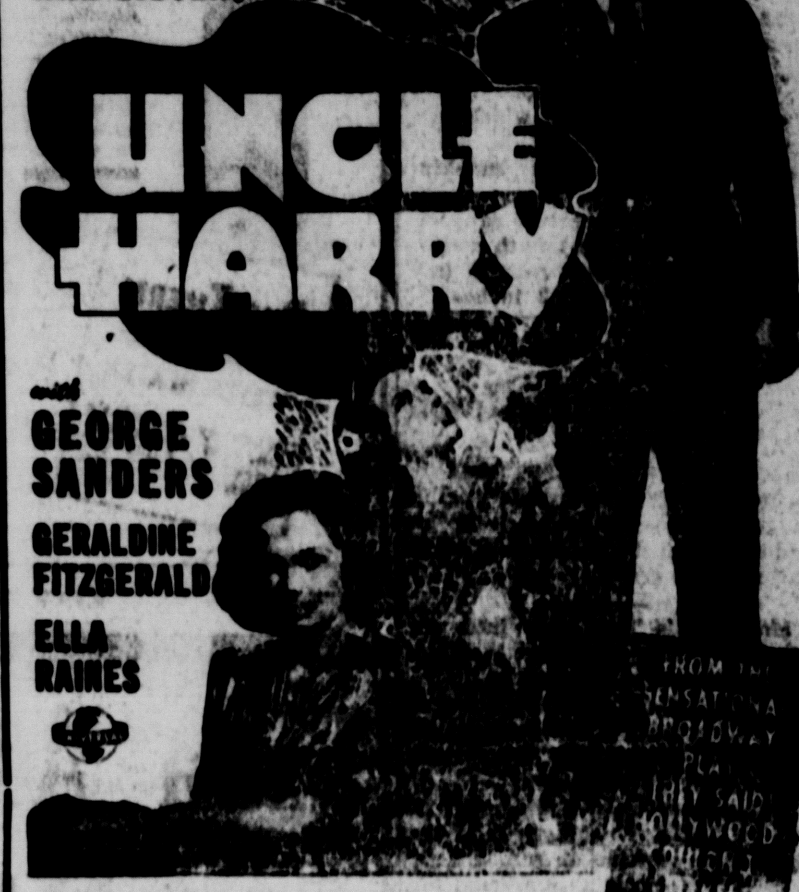
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## RAMBLERS FORFEIT FOUR GAMES; HAD OVERAGED PLAYER

Pierandozzi Declared To Be  
Over Age Limit After  
Investigation

### CREATES TIE FOR LEAD

Harriman and Franklin Are  
Now Even for Lead  
of League

The Ramblers, highest scoring team of the Bristol Youth League, has forfeited its four games played thus far. An investigation has proven that one of the Ramblers' player, Pierandozzi, was over the age limit.

The forfeiture of the four games makes Harriman and Franklin tied for first with four wins each. The Ramblers have not won a game according to the new league standing but have lost four and another defeat will put them out of the playoffs if the league race continues in the manner it is progressing.

### Temperature Last Month was Average

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But there were twice as many clear days last month as in the month last year used for comparison. Clear days last month totalled 18; with three partly cloudy; nine cloudy; and 11 days on which precipitation measured .01" or more. Per cent of possible sunshine hours was 64.

The highest temperature range in a 24 hour period last month was 3 degrees. The greatest rainfall in a 24 hour period was 2.3 inches.

### Here and There in Bucks County Towns

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J. Murray, the employee is eligible to receive compensation from his employer and the government while learning the trade.

Making his last run into the Reading Terminal, George W. Kohl Doylestown, was greeted by Reading Railroad officials as he began his retirement after serving 43 years and one month. Since 1907 he has been an engineer.

The county seat engineer, who will be 70 on Washington's birthday, began working on the railroad in 1902. He served as a fireman for five years, his initial run being from Frankford to the terminal. He made this run five times a day.

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held advanced another step forward his week when Doylestown borough council passed an ordinance approving the purchase of the borough's share in the project amounting to \$6,000. Settlement for this will be made immediately.

At a meeting of the memorial executive committee before a meeting of council, the purchase of 14 acres of land to be used for the development of the athletic field and park facilities, was approved. The memorial committee agreed to purchase two additional acres of land necessary to make the tract a total of 14 acres plus.

This latest action means that the memorial committee will pay \$8,000 of the \$14,000 purchase price of the land, and the borough, \$6,000, the limit allowed by law. The purchase of two additional acres includes a grove of beautiful trees.

Councilman G. Thawley Hayman submitted a detailed report of the memorial executive committee action taken earlier in the evening, and also explained detailed plans and drawings that have been made so far.

Courier Want Ads convert "Dust Gatherers" into cash. Phone 8-16

ATLASBURG — Miss Ann Zaharoff was reunited with her 17-year-old sister, Alice, through a newspaper article after 15 years of separation. They were parted while young after their parents died. Alice had inserted an article to a local paper in the hope of finding her sister and a friend passed the piece along to Ann.

BROWNSVILLE — There is one seasoned gobbler roaming the woods near Brownsville that earned its freedom after being slated for a

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Anti-aircraft Guns	\$1.79

GENERAL REDUCTION ON VARIOUS DOLLS AND STUFFED ANIMALS

Lovely Gifts for Mother  
**Silex  
Coffee  
Maker**  
3.25

Makes delicious coffee every time. Guaranteed against heat breakage. 7-cup capacity.

**Whistling  
TEA  
KETTLE**  
1.39

A cheery whistle tells when the water's boiling. 3-qt.

**Individual  
CASSENOLES** 35c

A set of 4 in different colors makes a lovely gift!

Easy-to-Use!

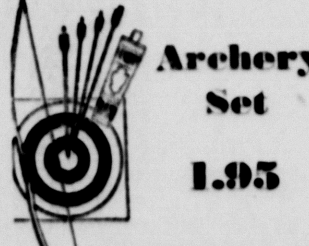


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### Snow Shovel

Lightweight, well-balanced for easy use. Has a strong, sturdy steel blade and 36-inch hardwood handle. A fine value!

For Young Robin Hoods



Archery  
Set

1.95

Complete set for Robin Hood, Jr. Just like Dad's but lighter to handle.



**Plush  
Scotty**  
2.98

Soft, silky plush with a big ribbon bow. 18-in. long.

"Visible Cooking"  
Enamelware

including double boilers and percolators, from 98c to \$1.49.

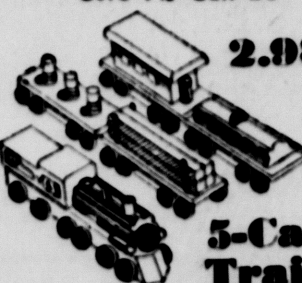
Service For Four



**Child's 30-Piece  
Tea Set** 1.98

For their own little tea party! Bright shiny plastic. Complete even to the napkins.

Cute As Can Be



2.98

**5-Car  
Train**

A sturdy wood train, four feet long. Metal couplers, red trim.

She Sits or Stands



**Adorable  
Little Girl  
DOLL**

2.29

Her arms and legs are jointed. She's 16 inches tall and beautifully dressed. Made of strong composition.

Meet Mickey and Donald



**Magic  
Slate**

98c

Keeps youngsters fascinated for hours! Writing disappears when film is lifted. Pencil included.

**Plastic Lunch Box**  
\$1.95

Still a Good Selection of  
**ICE SKATES**

**DRIVING  
GLOVES**  
2.29

Fine capskin leather, warmly lined. Long wearing.

**Leather  
Billfold**  
1.98\*

\*Plus Extra Tax  
Genuine cheapskin. Plenty of pockets for valuables.

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GIFTS TO PLEASE THE WHOLE FAMILY

Ladies' Pigskin Gloves	\$2.59
Juice-o-Mat, pre-war quality	\$3.98
Aluminum-baked Room Heater	\$9.95
Boxing Gloves, from	\$2.89 to \$6.95
Basketball Shoes	\$6.95
Volley Ball, official quality	\$8.45
Assortment of small Pull Toys	49c

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TRENTON, N. J.

**SNOWBALL DANCE**  
Tuesday Evening  
**CHRISTMAS NITE**  
**CHET ELLEN**  
And His 12 Pc. Orchestra  
Dancing 9 to 12

**NEW YEAR'S EVE  
DANCING** 10.00 to  
2.00 A. M.  
Noisemakers, Streamers  
Balloons, Hats, Etc.  
Chet Ellen Orchestra

**NEW YEAR'S NITE**  
Don Romeo and His  
Orchestra  
VIRGINIA JAYE, Vocalist  
Dancing 9 to 12